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SUBJECT: W/W: ARRESTS: CASE OF JOYCE ANN LAPP

REF: BOGOTA NO. 9146 AND PREVIOUS

- 1. DEPARTMENT NOTES WITH SOME CONCERN EMBASSY'S STATEMENT CONTAINED PARAGRAPH ONE REFTEL INDICATING THAT ARRESTEE JOYCE ANN LAPP QUOTE APPEARS TO HAVE RECOVERED FROM HEPATITIS UNQUOTE. IS THAT STATEMENT BASED ON CONOFF OBSERVATION OR ON REPORT OF PHYSICIAN? HOW LONG WAS SUBJECT ILL WITH HEPATITIS? WHAT FORM OF HEPATITIS DID SUBJECT HAVE (INFECTIOUS, SERUM, ETC.) AND WHAT WAS SOURCE? HAS THERE BEEN ANY MEDICAL EXAMINATION TO DETERMINE DEGREE OF LIVER DAMAGE? IF SO, WHAT IS DOCTOR'S PROGNOSIS? WHAT ACTIVITY IS ANTICIPATED FOR SUBJECT AFTER SHE QUOTE CONTINUES TO REST THIS WEEK UNQUOTE?
- 2. IN THE CONTEXT OF THIS CASE, DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING BY SEPTEL, EMBASSY'S COMMENTS AND EVALUATIONS OF THE OVERALL HEALTH, SANITARY AND MEDICAL SITUATION FACING AMERICAN CITIZENS DETAINED IN THE POST'S CONSULAR DISTRICT. DO ANY OTHERS HAVE HEPATITIS OR OTHER SERIOUS ILLNESS? IN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THIS REGARD, POST SHOULD ALSO COMMENT ON ANY NUTRITIONAL AND DIETARY DEFICIENCIES, AND THE EFFECT OF THOSE DEFICIEN-

CIES ON THE GENERAL HEALTH OF LONG TERM PRISONERS (THOSE

FACING AT LEAST TWO OR THREE YEARS INCARCERATION). INGERSOLL

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